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CHARLES-TOWN, MARCH 20.

LAST Tuesday, Mr. Robert Smyth, Merchant, Master Smyth, his Son, and Master Ward Son of John Ward, Esq; returned here from London, in the Snow Proteus, Capt. Papley, having touched at Falmouth and St. Christophers by the Way.

The said Vessel having on board (besides 7 Cases of Merchandize, said to be Globes and mathematical Instruments, consigned to Mr. Robert Wells; 1 Hogshead, 1 Puncheon, 7 Casks, 13 Cases, 5 Crates, and 1 Bottle, said to contain Drugs and Medicines, consigned to Mr. Edward Gunter) 2 Puncheons, 1 Box, 1 Tierce, 40 Bundles, 9 Cases, and 7 Hampers, said to contain Household Furniture, and 2 Horses, belonging to Mr. Smyth, all which he declared, were brought out by him on the Supposition that it was not meant, by the Continental Association, to prohibit the Importation of such Articles as had been in Use in his Family in England; and the Committee of Observation requested the Sense of the General Committee, respecting the said Horses and Furniture. This Matter accordingly came under the Consideration of the General Committee on Wednesday Evening, 33 Members present; when, after a long Debate, whether the landing the said Horses and Furniture, might not be construed a Violation of the Association, there appeared to be an equal Number for and against that Opinion; and the Question being put, Whether Mr. Smyth's Horses under the Circumstances they had been represented might be landed, it was carried in the Affirmative, by the Chairman's casting Vote: It was at the same Time resolved, without a Division upon the Question, that such Part of Mr. Smyth's Furniture as, upon Inspection by the Committee of Observation, should appear to them, to have been in Use in his Family (but no other) might also be landed. The next Morning a great Number of the Inhabitants appeared extremely uneasy, lest, from the Admission of the Horses, it should be suggested, that there was an Inclination in this Colony to depart from the Association; they feared, that the Conduct of the People, which had always been consistent, and who continued remarkably strict in their Adherence to the Resolves and Recommendations of the Congress, might, in this Instance, be misrepresented abroad; their Zeal for the Reputation of their Country threw them into great Agitation; none meant the least Reflection on the Conduct of their Committee, but all wished that the Horses might not be landed; yet they were then at a Loss what Measure might be most proper to pursue. On Friday Morning, however, a Petition was agreed on, and, after having 256 Names subscribed thereto, presented to the Chairman of the General Committee, in the following Words;

"*WE, a Number of the Inhabitants of Charles-Town, conceive, that our Liberties at this Time depend on our Unanimity and Confidence in our Committee, who, we doubt not, in all Things, will act according to the best of their Judgment for the Public Good: But your Petitioners are informed, that, by a Vote carried by a very small Majority, divers Horses and Furniture are permitted to be landed; which many Persons who have the Liberty of America much at Heart, think is an Infringement of the Association entered into by the General Congress. In order, therefore, to quiet the Minds of the People, we pray that there may be a Reconsideration of the said Matter in a full Committee.*"

In Consequence of this Petition the said Committee was summoned to meet that Evening; but no more than 42 Members then attending, it was thought advisable to adjourn 'till Monday Morning 9 o'Clock, in order that, if it should be thought necessary to re-consider the Matter, it might be done at a very full Meeting. Accordingly this Morning, a very full Committee met, not less than 70 Members being present; when the above Petition was taken into Consideration—the Resolve of Wednesday, respecting the Horses, rescinded, by a Majority of one Vote, and a Resolution entered into, that they should be sent back, with the Merchandize, and Furniture (if any) that should appear not to have been in Use. A general satisfaction was expressed upon this Occasion, and the Quiet of the Community seems to be perfectly restored.

On Tuesday last Mr. Benjamin Webb, of Ashepoo, was married to Miss Nancey Doyley, Daughter of the late Daniel Doyley, Esquire.

Last Thursday the Hon. John Drayton, one of the Members of His Majesty's Council, was married to the amiable Miss Rebecca Perry, Daughter of the late Mr. Benjamin Perry, of St. Paul's Parish.

The same Day, Rowland Rugeley, Esq; was also married, to Miss Hamilton Dawson, another amiable young Lady Daughter of the late Rev. Mr. Dawson.

Last Friday the Ship Katharine, Capt. Fraser, that arrived here on the 4th Instant, from Angola; with 300 Slaves, (which according to the Continental Association could not be imported or purchased here) sailed for the West-Indies, with her whole Cargo.

The same Day arrived here, from Jamaica and Pensacola, the Comet Packet-Boat, commanded by Captain McDonogh.

The Sloop Strafford & William, Solomon Gibbes, Master, for Barbadoes, has been spoke with by a Vessel arrived in Virginia, having lost her Mast 10 Days after she left this Port.

Yesterday Mr. Plowden Weston, was married, to Miss Mary-Anne Mazyck.

The Price of RICE 50*s.* per Hundred.—The Quantity exported to this Day (inclusive) 89,130 Tierces.

## New Advertisements.

THE Subscriber, some Time in *November* last, left a PAPER PARCEL, containing four Pair of mix-coloured SILK HOSE, at the House of some Acquaintance in *Charles-Town*, who would be glad to have them sent to the Printer of this Paper.

JOB COLCOCK.

On *Tuesday* the 9th Day of *May* next,

**Will be Sold by public Vendue,**

*At the usual Place in* CHARLES-TOWN,

ALL those three valuable, and well-known PLANTATIONS or TRACTS of LAND, situate on the Waters of *Little-Salkehatchie*, at and adjoining the *Ridge*, viz.

One containing 200 Acres, more or less, adjoining the *Ridge*; bounded to the Eastward, Part by Land belonging to *Messrs. Powell*, and Part by vacant Land; to the North and West, Part by *Gavin Pou*, and Part by vacant Land; and to the Southward by vacant Land, at the Time of the original Grant.

One other Tract, containing Ninety-eight Acres, more or less, known by the Name of the *Ridge*; bounded on all Sides by vacant Land, at the Time of the original Grant.

*Also*, One other Tract, containing One Hundred and Twenty-five Acres, more or less; bounded Northwardly and Eastwardly by Land belonging to *William Watson*; and Southwardly and Westwardly by vacant Land, at the Time of the original Grant:—Late the Property of *David Zubly*, and sold under Execution, by

ROGER PINCKNEY, *late Prov. Mar.*

The above Lands are esteemed as good as most in those Parts:—The Plats and Grants may be seen in the Hands of said *Pinckney*, or *Thomas Grimball*, Esquire.

THE ANNIVERSARY MEETING of the *SOUTH-CAROLINA SOCIETY*, will be held on the 18th Day of *April* next (being TUESDAY in EASTER-WEEK) at the House of the late Mrs. *Katharine Poinsett*, in *Charles-Town*;—where the Members are desired to attend, precisely at 12 o'Clock in the Forenoon.

☞ All Persons indebted to the SOCIETY for Interest, are desired to pay the same before the said Anniversary Meeting.

*By Order of the Society,*

*March* 27, 1775. SAM. PRIOLEAU, *Clerk.*

THE SUBSCRIBER acquaints the PUBLIC, and his FRIENDS in particular, That at his Father's House, in *Tradd-Street*, he intends bringing up and adjusting Merchants, Tradesmen's, and other BOOKS of ACCOMPTS;—Also, Partnerships, Executors, Assignees, &c. may have their Accompts properly adjusted, with Secrecy and Dispatch.

He will undertake any Kind of COMMISSION-BUSINESS.

*** Those Gentlemen who chuse to employ him, may depend that every Effort will be exerted, to give general Satisfaction;—and Security given to any Amount, if required.

*Charles-Town, March 5, 1775.* } Hext Prioleau.

**To be SOLD by private Sale,**

**A HOUSE and LOT,**

In OLD-CHURCH-STREET,

NEARLY opposite to Messrs. PACKER and HUTCHINGS, at present occupied by Mr. JOHN SMITH, Tallow-Chandler, with a very good Garden, &c. &c.

A long Credit will be given, with approved Security. Apply to HEXT PRIOLEAU.

N. B. For more Conveniency of the Purchaser, good LAND or NEGROES, will be received in Payment.

**To be Sold, by private Sale,**

A PLANTATION or Tract of LAND, on the CYPRESS, containing Six Hundred Acres; one Half of which is as good Inland Swamp as any in the Province;—the other Half is fit for Corn, Indico, &c. and has on it every Conveniency.——Any Person inclinable to purchase, may have One, Two, or Three Years Credit.——The above Plantation is Eight Miles from a Landing. For Particulars, please apply to

*March* 25, 1775. HEXT PRIOLEAU.

*SOUTH-CAROLINA.*

In the COURT of COMMON-PLEAS.

*FEBRUARY TERM.*

THEIR HONOURS the JUDGES, chose their CIRCUITS, which are as follows, *viz.*

**APRIL, ASSIZES.**

*SOUTHERN-CIRCUIT.*

Justices. { Honourable the CHIEF-JUSTICE, Mr. Justice COSSLETT.

ORANGEBURGH District.—At *Orangeburgh*, WEDNESDAY, *April* the 5th,

NINETY-SIX District.—At *Ninety-Six*, SATURDAY, *April* the 15th.

BEAUFORT District.—At *Beaufort*, MONDAY, *May* the 1st.

Clerks. { Peter Bonnetheau, for *Orangeburgh*; James Pritchard, for *Ninety-Six*; John Rose, for *Beaufort*.

*NORTHERN-CIRCUIT.*

Justices. { Mr. Justice SAVAGE;—Mr. Justice GREGORY.

CAMDEN District.—At *Camden*, WEDNESDAY, *April* the 5th.

CHERAWS District.—At *Cheraws*, SATURDAY, *April* the 15th.

GEORGE-TOWN District.—At *George-Town*, WEDNESDAY, *April* the 26th.

Clerks { Thomas Turner, for *Camden*;—Thomas Turner, for *Cheraws*;—William Rugeley, for *George-Town*.

CHARLES-TOWN, MARCH 27.

AT a Meeting of the General Committee, on Wednesday Evening, it was agreed, that the Horses lately imported by Mr. Robert Smyth, in the Snow Proteus, from London, might be landed *to be refreshed*, during the Stay of the said Vessel, but no longer; upon Mr. Smyth's giving satisfactory Assurances to the Committee of Observation, that they should be reshipped, and not afterwards relanded on any Part of this Continent. The Committee of Observation accordingly attended on Thursday Forenoon, to see the said Horses landed, and receive such Assurances respecting the same as might prevent any further Disquiets among the People: But, after they were put ashore, and also Part of the Furniture, Mr. Smyth declared, that, rather than promise what might not be in his Power to perform, he would choose to reimbark his Horses and Furniture, and send them away with all that was brought in her. The Furniture was, accordingly, immediately replaced in the Vessel, and the Horses reimbarked Saturday in the Forenoon; on which Day the Proteus was cleared out at the Custom-House, with British Goods per 7 Cockets, for Jamaica; and Yesterday she fell down into Rebellion-Road, where she now remains Windbound.

"On Wednesday died, in the 31st Year of her Age, "Mrs. Elizabeth Macpherson, the amiable Consort of "Isaac Macpherson, Esq.—justly lamented by all who "had the Pleasure of her Acquaintance—as she was, a "devout Christian, an affectionate Wife, a tender Parent, a sincere Friend, and always ready to relieve the "Wretched and Indigent."

The several Companies of the Charles-Town Regiment of Militia, are now trained once every Fortnight, agreeable to the Recommendation of the Provincial Congress; and the Men so zealously attend this voluntary Service, that we may presume, whenever the whole shall be mustered again together, it will appear to very great Advantage.

The Light-Infantry Company, commanded by Capt. Campbell, appeared under Arms last Thursday, on the Parade, with the Artillery and Grenadier Companies, and performed their Exercises and a Variety of Manœuvres, with a Dexterity which attained a numerous Body of Beholders. The said Company afterwards dined together at Mr. Ramadge's Tavern, where they were honoured with the Presence of all the Military Officers, and a Number of other Gentlemen, by Invitation.

We are assured, that several Samples of Gun-powder, made in this Province, will be laid before the General Committee at their next Meeting—the making thereof not having been prohibited.

Last Friday sailed on her return for *Bristol*, the Ship Charming-Sally, Capt. Fortune having on board 5 Bales of Sail-Duck, the only part of her inward Cargo that had not been thrown into Hog-Island Creek.

The same Day the little Horse brought as a Present to Master Brewton, by the Ship Pallas, Capt. Turner, from London, was sent away again in another Vessel.

The same Day embarked for England, Messrs. Greenwood and Walker, Merchants, Mr. William Ogilvie, Clerk to the Superintendent of Indian Affairs, and the Rev. John Bulman, who was some time since Assistant to the Rector of St. Michael's Parish in this Town, and had a very good school here.

Lately married, the Rev. Mr. James Latta, of John's Island, to Miss Sally Wilson, Daughter of the late Mr. Hugh Wilson.

Price of Rice 50*s.* per Hundred.—Quantity exported, 94,287 Tierces.

## Timothy's Marine List.

| *March* | Arrivals at Charles-Town, | *From* |
|---|---|---|
| 24*th.* | Ship Sibbels, Thomas Abbot, | London |
| | Snow Proteus, John Paplay, | London |
| 25*th.* | Scooner Sally, Robert Gray, | East-Florida |
| | Scooner Tryal, Peter Ham, | Georgia |
| 27*th.* | Brigt. Neptune, William Thomson, | Jamaica |
| | *Scooner Comet (Packet)* C. M'Donogh, | Pensacola |
| 28*th.* | Bark Norfolk, Jonathan Grindall, | London |
| | Brigt Friendship, William Moore, | Philadelphia |
| | Sloop Kitty, William Williams, | Jamaica |
| 29*th.* | Brigt. Pike, Benjamin Linthorn, | Lisbon |
| | Brigt. Diligence, Philip Brickland, | Providence |
| 30*th.* | Brigt. Jane, Simon Thompson, | Lisbon |
| | Scooner C. T. & Sav. Packet, J. Turner, | Georgia |
| 23*d.* | Brigt. Lovely Jenny, Law. Harvey, | Mississippi |
| | Sloop Liberty, Sandford Monro, | George-Town |
| | Sloop Polly, John Conyers, | St. Kitts |
| 24*th.* | Scooner Sunbury Packet, Jer. Dickinson, | Georgia |
| 25*th.* | Brigt. Jenny, William Workman, | Philadelphia |
| 26*th.* | Scooner Betsy & Polly, Samuel Stone, | Georgia |
| *March* | Cleared, | *For* |
| 24*th.* | Scooner Sally, Anthony Hooper, | Barbadoes |
| | Scooner John, Elias Howell, | North-Carolina |
| | Scooner Little-Archy, Arch. Anderson, | London |
| 25*th.* | Sloop Friendship, Dan. Monro, | Rhode-Island |
| 26*th.* | Snow Lively, William Carter, | Bristol |
| | Brigt. Anne, Joseph Crew, | Figuera |
| 27*th.* | Ship Hopewell, Thomas Hopper, | Cowes |
| | Ship Three Sisters, Luke Crosby, | Falmouth |
| | Ship Katharine, James Fraser, | West-Indies |
| | Ship Two Brothers, John Wilson, | Liverpoole |
| | Brigt. Portland, John Pitt, | Cowes |
| | Brigt. Pluto, Cabot Gerrish, | Gibraltar |
| | Brigt. Young Phœnix, Sam. Tucker, | Cowes |
| | Brigt. Aurora, John Bishop, | St. Croix |
| | Scooner Harriot, Peter Bachop, | Providence |
| 29*th.* | Brigt. Nancy, Ignatius Rains, | North-Carolina |
| | Sloop Mary, Benjamin Eve, | Dominica |
| 21*st.* | Ship Ashley-Cooper, Wm. Maskall, | Gosport |
| | Brigt. Salisbury, John Bartlett, | Gibraltar |
| 22*d.* | Brigt. Betty, Abraham Woodside, | Gosport |
| | Brigt. Charles-Town Pac. S. Wright, | Philadelphia |
| 24*th.* | Ship Briton, Alexander Urquhart, | London |
| | Ship Charming Sally, Geo. Fortune, | Bristol |
| | Brigt. Warborne, Martin Stokes, | Carthagena |
| | Scooner Neptune, Geo. Rendall, | Newbury, N. C. |

Schooner Lovely Betsy, James Righton, Providence
Sloop Polly, Billings Throope, Providence
Sloop Raven, Nathaniel Dickinson, Bermuda
Sloop Jane, Benjamin Darrel, St. Euſtatius
27th. Brigt. Sally, Thomas Hook, St. Kitts
Brigt. Neptune, William Thomſon, Jamaica
Schooner Minerva, James Morris, Grenada
Sloop Two Friends, Jacob Johnſon Jamaica

Remain windbound or cleared.

*For*
Ship Jupiter, Samuel Brown, Cowes
Ship Noble Bounty, John Dutchman, Falmouth
Ship Charming Nelly, John Walker, Cowes
Ship Charming Sally, John Rowe, Cowes
Ship Glaſgow, Robert Craig, Cowes
Snow Proteus, John Paplay, Jamaica
Brigt. Suſannah, Joſeph Miller, Oporto
Brigt. Friendſhip, William Moore, Philadelphia
Brigt. Little Porgy, Alex. Kirkpatrick, Jamaica
Brigt. Betſy, George Fowler, New-York
Brigt. Yorick, Elijah Steel, Lisbon
Schooner Endeavour, Ephraim Emmerton, Salem
Sloop Kitty, William Williams, Georgia
Sloop Jenny, Daniel Badger, North-Carolina

May ſail between this and next.

Bark Norfolk, Jonathan Grindall, Cowes
*Snow Eagle (Packet) Capt. W. Nicholls,* Falmouth
Brigt. Hero, Charles Chadwick, Antigua
Brigt. Riſing-Sun, Malachy Salter, Cowes
Brigt. Welcome, William Murphy, Briſtol
Schooner Sunbury Packet, Jer. Dickinſon, Georgia
Schooner Betſy & Polly, Samuel Stone, Georgia
Schooner C. T. & Sav. Packet, J. Turner, Georgia
Sloop Two Brothers, John Larchar, Hiſpaniola

Entered out between above,

Ship Pallas, John Turner, London
Ship Dutcheſs of Gordon, And. Campbell, London
Ship Sibbela, Thomas Abbot, London
Brigt. Jenny, William Workman, Philadelphia
Schooner Charming Polly, Tho. Harriot, Providence
Sloop St. George, Samuel Mills, Barbados

Other Veſſels in Port.

*For*
*His Majeſty's Sloop Tamar, Capt. Thornbrough,*
Ship Morris, Thomas Bell, Cowes
Snow Swallow, John McCles, *(Condemned)*
Brigt. Liberty, Stephen Seymour,
Schooner St. Ann, Duncan McNeill, Jamaica
Schooner Little Dick, Robert Harriſon,

# New Advertiſements.

SOUTH CAROLINA.

FEBRUARY SESSIONS, 1775.

*IT IS ORDERED,*

THAT the PRESENTMENTS of the GRAND-JURY for this Diſtrict, be publiſhed in the ſeveral Gazettes of this Province.

*By the Court,*

*James Trail,* C. C. & P.

THE PRESENTMENTS OF

*The GRAND-JURY for the Diſtrict of* CHARLES-TOWN, *at a Court of General Seſſions of the Peace, Oyer and Terminer, Aſſize and General Goal Delivery, begun and holden at* CHARLES-TOWN, *on Tueſday February 22, 1775.*

I. WE preſent as a Grievance, The Want of a Law to prevent Patroons of Scooners from caſting of Ballaſt into the Rivers and Creeks in this Province, the Navigation of which being already in ſome Meaſure impeded, and in Time will be totally obſtructed.

II. We preſent as a Grievance, The Want of a Law to empower the Commiſſioners of Bridges in the different Pariſhes of this Province, to bring Actions of Treſpaſs againſt the Owners of Scooners and Rafts, for Damages done by them to the ſaid Bridges, provided there is Space ſufficient to admit ſuch Scooners and Rafts to paſs through.

III. We preſent William Logan, Eſq; for ſtopping the Paſſage to the Landing Place near Jackſonburgh, which has been made Uſe of by a conſiderable Number of the Inhabitants of St. Bartholomew's Pariſh for upwards of Twenty-three Years paſt; upon the Information of Iſaac Hayne, Joſeph Bee, Charles Clifford, Iſaac Ford, John Tunno, Samuel Wallace and William Sanders.

IV. We preſent Patrick Hinds, for entertaining and admitting Negro Preachers in his Houſe and on his Grounds, where they deliver Doctrines to large Numbers of Negroes, dangerous to and ſubverſive of the Peace, Safety and Tranquility of this Province; upon the Information of Henry Peronneau, jun.

JOHN BEALE, *Foreman,*
JAMES CLARK,
WILLIAM CHICKEN,
CHRISTOPHER HOLSON,
WILLIAM BAKER,
JOHN CORDES,
THOMAS HEYWARD,
MALLORY RIVERS,
DANIEL CANNON,
CHARLES CANTEY,
JOHN NEUFVILLE,
FRANCIS SMITH,
HENRY SMITH,
WILLIAM TRUSLER,
WILLIAM BOONE, (L. S.)

At a BOARD of JUSTICES, Holden at *Charles-Town, Auguſt* 5, 1771.

*ORDERED,*

THAT ſuch Perſons as ſhall hereafter apply for LICENCES, for the retailing of SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS, do, at the ſame Time, annex a Recommendation, ſigned by the Church-Wardens of the Pariſh wherein they live, or of two creditable diſintereſted Perſons, ſhewing the Petitioners to be worthy and fit Perſons to obtain the ſame.

Thoſe therefore, who propoſe to petition the Board on MONDAY the 17th of APRIL next (being EASTER-MONDAY) are deſired to attend, at 10 o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the Houſe of Mr. *Charles Ramadge,* in Broad-Street; and in the mean Time, to leave their Petitions and Recommendations with the Subſcriber, next Door to *Roger Pinckney,* Eſq; in Meeting-Street.

SHADRACK WINDSOR.

SOUTH-CAROLINA:

*By the Honourable* WILLIAM BULL, *Eſquire, Lieutenant-Governor and Commander in Chief in and over his Majeſty's ſaid Province,*

## A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS I have received Information, that ſeveral Perſons, armed with rifle Guns, came in the Evening of the firſt Inſtant to the Houſe of JOHN COX, Storekeeper, about three Miles above *Ponpon* Bridge, and having firſt violently ſeized all the Perſons in or near the ſaid Store, they tied them, uſing many Threats to put them to Death in Caſe they made any Reſiſtance, and then feloniouſly robbed the ſaid JOHN COX of what *Caſh* he had in the ſaid Store, being to the Amount of *Eleven Hundred Pounds* current Money and upwards, and alſo a great Quantity of Goods, which they packed up in Bags they brought ſeemingly prepared for that Purpoſe: *IN ORDER* that the Perpetrators of ſo audacious a Felony may be brought to condign Puniſhment, I HAVE thought fit, by and with the Advice of His Majeſty's Honourable Council, to iſſue this my Proclamation, hereby offering a Reward of *Fifty Pounds* ſterling, to any Perſon or Perſons who ſhall firſt apprehend any of the Perſons concerned in the ſaid Robbery, ſo that he or they may be brought to Juſtice; together with his Majeſty's moſt gracious Pardon to any of the Accomplices in the ſaid Crime who ſhall apprehend any of the others, ſo that they may be brought to Juſtice; to be paid on Conviction of the Offender or Offenders.

*GIVEN under my Hand and the Great Seal of the ſaid Province, at Charles-Town, this 8th Day of* March, Anno Domini, 1775, *and in the Fifteenth Year of His Majeſty's Reign.*

WILLIAM BULL.

By His Honour's Command,
WILLIAM NIBBETT, Dep. Secty.

*GOD SAVE THE KING.*

MR. WINDSOR has opened a SCHOOL, next Door to ROGER PINCKNEY, Eſq; in *Meeting-Street,* for the Inſtruction of the YOUTH of both Sexes, in READING, WRITING, ARITHMETIC, POLYGRAPHY, &c. &c.

Having proper Accommodations in his Family, he deſigns to BOARD a few YOUNG GENTLEMEN.

*N. B.* Mrs. WINDSOR continues to inſtruct YOUNG LADIES upon the HARPSICHORD.

*Wants* EMPLOY,

A YOUNG MAN, who ſerved a regular Apprenticeſhip to a Merchant.—He may be heard of, by applying at *Timothy*'s Printing-Office, in *Broad-Street* the Corner of *Gadſden*'s Alley;—where a Certificate of his Character, and a Specimen of his Writing may be ſeen.

I INTEND to leave the Province in a ſhort Time, deſire all Perſons indebted to me, to make immediate Payment;—and thoſe to whom I am indebted, are deſired to lodge their Accompts at Meſſrs. CHOVIN and LIVINGSTON's Compting-Houſe on the BAY.

3 m. LEWIS DUTARQUE.

*N. B.* All thoſe that do not comply with the above, will lay me under the diſagreeable Neceſſity of applying to the Committee, to proceed as the Law directs.

The SUBSCRIBER,

*Having engaged in the* PLANTING-BUSINESS, *will* DISPOSE of, *at* private Sale,

(A GREAT BARGAIN)

THE following VALUABLE LOTS of LAND; together with the BUILDINGS, &c. thereunto belonging, *viz.*

One Corner LOT, fronting *Old-Church* and *Elliott-ſtreets*; having thereon a good Brick Building, of two Stories, with a Cellar, Kitchen, &c.—Now rented by Meſſrs. PARKER & HUTCHINGS, at £. 450 per Annum.

One other LOT, adjoining the above on the North, and on Lands of THOMAS BEE, Eſq; on the South; conſiſting of two Brick Tenements:—One now poſſeſſed by Mr. CROWTHER, at £. 170; and the other by Mr. STENT, at £. 180 per Annum.

The above Lots and Tenements being ſo well known, renders it unneceſſary to acquaint the Public how advantageous their Situation are, in Point of TRADE.

Good FIELD SLAVES will be taken in Exchange, to the Amount of Two-thirds of the Value, upon equitable Terms:—Or, one Year's Credit will be given, the Purchaſer paying Intereſt, and giving approved Security.

c11. THOMAS HALL, jun.

RUN AWAY from the Subſcriber, a Negro Wench, named TENA, lately the Property of Mr. *James King*:—She had on when ſhe went away, a blue Negro Cloth Gown, and Oſnabrugs Apron. She took with her, a great Variety of Cloaths, ſuch as Chintzes, Callicoes, &c. which, for the Sake of Change, ſhe may appear in; having a Number of Acquaintances and Relations about Town, where, in all Probability, ſhe may be harboured.——If ſhe will return, within a Week or ten Days, to her Duty, ſhe ſhall be forgiven;—otherwiſe, a Reward of TEN POUNDS will be given, on Delivery of her, to me, or the Warden of the Work-Houſe:—And, a further Reward of FIFTY POUNDS, to any Perſon or Perſons, that can give any Information of her being harboured by a white Perſon; and TWENTY POUNDS, if by a Negro.

WILLIAM ROBERTS.

The *Engliſh* Horſe MASK,

WILL cover this Seaſon, at Mr. DANIEL HORRY's Plantation, *Santee*, at TWENTY-FIVE POUNDS Currency each Mare, and a Dollar to the Groom:——To be paid when the Mares are ſent.—Any Mare not proving with Foal this Seaſon, may be ſent the next *Gratis*.

*N. B.* Good Paſturage, and great Care will be taken of the Mares.

*Exceeding good* CLARET,

To be SOLD, by the Dozen,

By BENJAMIN LEGARE.

*The Subſcriber informs the* PUBLIC,

THAT he is determined not to ſend any WOOD off the Wharf, unleſs the Money is firſt paid, together with the Carting, as he finds it impoſſible to raiſe Money to pay for Wood, when called upon; and likewiſe begs the Favour of thoſe that are indebted to him for PAINTING, to call and ſettle with him to his Satisfaction, ſo as to enable him to pay thoſe to whom he is indebted.

WILLIAM WAYNE.

A QUARTERLY MEETING of the *CHARLES-TOWN LIBRARY SOCIETY*, will be held on WEDNESDAY the *Fifth* Day of *April* next, at the LIBRARY-ROOM in *Union-Street*;—where the Members are deſired to meet.

*By Order of the Preſident,*

JOHN COLCOCK, *Secretary.*

ROBERT AUSTEN,

TAYLOR,

*Begs Leave to acquaint his Friends and Cuſtomers,*

THAT he has moved from the Houſe he lately poſſeſſed on BURN's Wharf, to one ſituated between Mr. JOHN POTTER's, Shoemaker, and Mr. DARBY PENDERGRASS's, Taylor, on the *Bay*; where he carries on the TAYLORS BUSINESS as formerly, and hopes for a Continuance of his Cuſtomer's Favours, whoſe future Orders ſhall be ſpeedily executed, and gratefully acknowledged.

THE HOUSE where I have kept Store upwards of Twenty Years, upon the Bay of George-Town, with the Back-Stores and Wharf, TO BE LET by the Year, or on Leaſe of Four or Five Years; to be entered upon directly, provided the Parties take the ſmall REMAINS OF GOODS upon Hand, which will be diſpoſed of Reaſonable.——It is incredible, to think what a great Trade may be carried on in this little Place, were there a greater Number of Stores. The few that are here already, ſell upwards of Four Hundred Thouſand Pounds a Year, and, have lately drawn down great Numbers of Waggons with Effects and Monies, once and twice a Year, from the WAXSAWS, and many different inland Parts of NORTH-CAROLINA, and the Numbers are daily increaſing, as they find they can get Supplies.

*Some Time in the Summer, will alſo* BE TO LET,

THE Brick Houſe, Back Stores, and Wharf upon the Bay, the S. E. Corner of Broad-ſtreet, where Meſſrs. *Harriot, Tucker* & Co. now keep their Store, as the ſaid Gentlemen have purchaſed a Bit of Land, and are building a Houſe and Store thereon.—Thoſe Perſons who hire the above of me (as they may be Strangers in theſe Parts) ſhall always be welcome to any Advice I can give them: Security, if required, to be given for the Purchaſe of the Remains of Goods.

JOSEPH BROWN.

AS no Notice has been taken of the late Advertiſement of MOTTET & SAVAGE: This is to give Notice, That if all thoſe concerned do not, before the twenty-fifth Day of *March* current, ſettle to their Satisfaction, by giving Notes, and Security if required, they will requeſt the Concurrence of the Committee to put their Accounts, Notes or Bonds in Suit. They have the beſt completed PHARMACY, which they will diſpoſe of by private Contract: But in Caſe it ſhould not be ſold by the 1ſt of *June* next, they will that Day ſell Article by Article.

LEWIS MOTTET.
RICHARD SAVAGE.

*On ſeeing the* LIGHT-INFANTRY *perform their Exerciſe on* Thurſday *laſt, their Anniverſary. By a Spectator.*

VERITAS EST.

O GREAT Apollo thou aſſiſt my Pen,
To pay the Tribute due theſe worthy Men;
Celeſtial Nine aſſiſt my anxious Song,
Direct my Pen, and guide my feeble Tongue;
I wou'd be ſtill,—but Merit calls aloud,
And Spl aſſents from yon tranſparent Cloud.

In Meeting-Street, view them in Ranks appear,
All valiant Heroes, both in Front and Rear;
And now, behold the noble C—m—l comes,
Receiving juſt Applauſe, from Fifes and Drums;
They at his Sight, immediately prepare;
With Emulation, hear the Words—take Care!
At his Command, as ſwift as Thought, they're ſeen,
Perform their Military Diſcipline.

Had Priam, from the Walls of Troy, ſurvey'd
Theſe valiant Youths, with all their grand Parade;
Had theſe, inſtead of Grecians, been but there,
The Trojans wou'd have yielded in Deſpair.
No Ten-Years Siege theſe Heroes wou'd have known,
But at Firſt-Sight they wou'd have gain'd th' Town.

But now again the Drums and Fifes are heard,
Obſerve the Heroes, for the March prepar'd;
Behold they move, ſo true their Steps are ſeen,
And now in Ranks again upon the Green.

The Virgins from the Town are quickly there,
Among the Reſt, the warlike Sight to ſhare:
Again, the Swains perform their Exerciſe,
Whilſt each fair Maid, looks on with wiſhful Eyes.

Oh! with what Joy they P—ckn—y's Conduct ſee,
And gaze with Love! beholding each L-g—é;
Whilſt M—th—w ſtands with Pr—l—n, to view,
As Serjeants—that the ſhining Ranks are true.

But when the Heroes had their Pieces fir'd,
Each Virgin ev'ry Swain alike admir'd:—
They look'd—they ſigh'd!—they all in Fondneſs melt;
There's no deſcribing Half the Pain they felt.—
Young Cupid's Arrows lodg'd in every Breaſt;
They lov'd—they wiſh'd—let Fancy paint the Reſt.

Oh! noble Warriors, from your Cauſe ne'er ſwerve,
But ſtill unite your Country to ſerve;—
'Tis FREEDOM now demands your brave Renown,
Oh! may Succeſs your valiant Labours crown.—